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Dear Sir:

Renewed request is hereby made for continued examination for the above-referenced application to permit submission of an Information Disclosure Statement. A check in the amount of \$690.00 and the Information Disclosure Statement were enclosed with the Request for Continued Examination filed on May 4, 2000; however, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be due or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-0447, Order No. 47171-00139USC1.

Respectfully submitted,

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